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MEMORANDUM ENDORSED**BY ECF**

The Honorable Gregory H. Woods
United States District Judge
United States District Court
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

Re: *Figueroa v. Garland et al.*, No. 21 Civ. 7849 (GHW)

Dear Judge Woods:

This Office represents the Government in this employment discrimination matter, in which the Court recently granted the Government's request to stay discovery and to enter a briefing schedule on its motion to dismiss Plaintiff Luis Figueroa's second amended complaint. *See* ECF No. 36. I write respectfully to request an extension of the deadline to file the Government's motion, from March 6 to March 27, 2023. The extension is requested as the undersigned counsel will be on trial the week before the current due date, starting February 27, 2023, before the Honorable Andrew E. Krause. This is the first request for an extension of this deadline, to which Plaintiff consents. Plaintiff requests a due date for his opposition brief of April 20, 2023, based on counsel's schedule. Should these dates be amenable to the Court, the Government proposes to file its reply brief no later than April 28, 2023.

The Government thanks the Court for its consideration of this matter.

Respectfully,

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Application granted. The deadline for the Government to file and serve its motion to dismiss Plaintiff's amended complaint is March 27, 2023. The deadline for Plaintiff to file and serve his opposition to the motion is April 20, 2023; the Government's reply, if any, must be filed and served no later than April 28, 2023.

The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate the motion pending at Dkt. No. 37.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 23, 2023
New York, New York

GREGORY H. WOODS
United States District Judge